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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION (2)

SIR:

In response to the Final Office Action of October 22, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Abstract:

The following amended clean Abstract of the Disclosure is rewritten in Annexure 2, attached hereto, showing the amendments to the Abstract:

A gaming machine has a variable display for displaying graphical information corresponding to a graphical element of a principal game; a controller coupled to the variable display for causing the variable display to display the graphical information; and a secondary display for displaying an image. The image of the secondary